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C-I-P of USSN. 09/972,716 filed on October 9, 2001

Inventor(s): Roberto MONACI

For: COMPOSITE POLYMERIC MATERIAL HAVING HIGH RESISTANCE TO IMPACT ENERGY

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CONTINUATION-IN-PART APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

This is a request for a **Continuation-In-Part Application** under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) of:

Pending Prior Application Ser. No.: 09/972,716

Applicant: Roberto MONACI

Filed: October 9, 2001

*Entitled: COMPOSITE POLYMERIC MATERIAL HAVING HIGH RESISTANCE
TO IMPACT ENERGY*

Prior Application Examiner: LOVERING, R

Art Unit: 1712

The present request for a continuation-in-part application is being filed while the prior application is still pending the issue fee of the prior application having not been paid yet.

Attached herewith is a specification, including description and claims 1-5. An unsigned combined Declaration/Power together with an unsigned Independent Inventor claiming Small Entity Status are also herewith enclosed.

Foreign Priority under 35 USC 119, based on Italian Patent Application No. MI97A000085 of June 25, 1997, is claimed. The Certified Copy of the above-identified foreign application is in the file of the **first** parent application (USSN. 09/100,349).

The inventor of the invention being claimed in this application is the same inventor named in the prior application, namely:

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The filing fee for this continuation-in-part application, is calculated in the enclosed Deposit Account Order, in duplicate.

An information disclosure statement in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(b) is also herewith attached.

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The undersigned agent is looking forward to receiving the filing certificate of this C-I-P application at your earliest convenience.

Please mark the Serial No. and the filing date of this application on the enclosed self-addressed return card.

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Respectfully submitted,



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Encl.: -Deposit Account order (in dupl.);
-Specification and claims;
-Unsigned Combined Declaration/Power;
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